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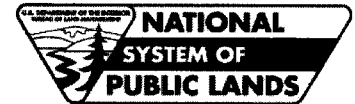
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**RE: Authorization for the Amended Reclamation Surety Estimate
Diamond K Gypsum Quarry; T. 22 S., R. 9 E., Section 29, SW 1/4**

Dear Mr. Baker:

The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) received your request to re-evaluate the reclamation for the Diamond K Gypsum Quarry. The BLM responded with a field inspection on May 1, 2009 which concluded that the reclamation at the mine had progressed; however, there is approximately 20 acres which need additional time for adequate reclamation. It is BLM's recommendation that \$22,000 be retained for the reclamation bond. Our records show that the current bond amount held is \$36,600.00, and reducing the bond to \$22,000.00 would release \$14,600.

As stated above, BLM approves the release of \$14, 600.00 for the Diamond K Gypsum Quarry. If you have any questions or comments please contact Chris Conrad at (435) 636-3667.

Sincerely,

Michael Stiewig
Field Manager

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